



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
Phuong V. Luu et al. : Examiner: Eric J. Hug
U.S. Serial No. 10/702,414 : Group Art Unit: 1731
Filed November 6, 2003 :
Docket No. 12376 (GP-01-24) :
For: ABSORBENT SHEET EXHIBITING :
RESISTANCE TO MOISTURE :
PENETRATION :

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the *Official Action* of August 18, 2006, Applicant submits the remarks which follow and the enclosed *Declaration Under 37 CFR §§1.131, 1.132 of Phuong Van Luu*.